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#### REPORT ON RIVER GAGE STATION

REVISED, PRINTED DATES: 04/08/2010, 08/22/2010

LOCATION: GLADE STREAM: NORTH FORK SOLOMON

BASIN: SMOKY HILL 11 HSA: GID

REFERENCES:

ENCES: E-19 - 4/29/53 NWS E-19 - JANUARY 19, 1994 USGS STATION DESCRIPTION - JANUARY 23, 2002 USGS STATION DESCRIPTION - JUNE 1, 2005

## ABBREVIATIONS:

BM - bench mark		EPA - Environmental Protection Agency
DS - downstream		IBWC - International Boundary and Water Comm.
US - upstream	MSRC	- Mississippi River Commission
HW - high water		MORC - Missouri River Commission
LW - low water	NOAA	- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Admin.
RB - right bank		NOS - National Ocean Survey
LB - left bank	NWS	- National Weather Service
MGL - mean gulf level		TVA - Tennessee Valley Authority
MLW - mean low water		USACE - U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
MSL - mean sea level		USBR - U.S. Bureau of Reclamation
MLT - mean low tide		USGS - U.S. Geological Survey
MT - mean tide	USWB	- U.S. Weather Bureau
WQ - water quality		NGVD - National Geodetic Vertical Datum
RM - reference mark		NAD - North American Datum
RP - reference point		
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LOCATION IDENTIFICATION: GDEK1

NWS INDEX NUMBER: 14307702

USGS NUMBER: 06871000

# MAP OF GAGE LOCATION

LATITUDE: 39 40 23 LONGITUDE: 99 18 33 SOURCE: USGS

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# BENCHMARKS

ELEVATION OF GAGE ZERO: 1754.040 LEVELING AGENCY AND DATE: 8/4/2008 RATING AGENCY:

VERTICAL DATUM: NGVD 1929 CHECKBAR: 27.810

BENCHMARK	DESCRIPTION	GAGE ZERO	DATUM
MP1	CHISELED ARROW ON DOWNSTREAM HANDRAIL AT STATION.	28.818	1782.858
MP3	PHILLIPS SHELL BOLT IN THE RIGHT DOWNSTREAM PIER NEAREST THE CHANNEL. BOLT IS LOCATED JUST SOUTH OF THE UPPER CSI PIPE.	11.153	1765.193
MP4	AN EARTH AUGER BIPOD LOCATED JUST DOWNSTREAM OF THE ORIFICE ON THE RIGHT BANK. ESTABLISHED 5/27/2005.	4.275	1758.315
RM10	LAG SCREW IN POWER POLE 3 TO 4 FT ABOVE GROUND 50 FT NORTH 45 EAST OF NORTHEAST CORNER OF BRIDGE.	29.789	1783.829
RM5	STANDARD USGS BRONZE TABLET ON LEFT DOWNSTREAM END OF BRIDGE IN CONCRETE BRIDGE RAIL.	28.785	1782.825
RM6	STANDARD USGS BRONZE TABLET ON RIGHT DOWNSTREAM END OF BRIDGE IN CONCRETE BRIDGE RAIL.	28.761	1782.801

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## GAGES

DCP TELEM

NESS ID: D10DA164 OWNER: USGS REPORT TIME: 00:4130 TYPE OF TELEMETRY: OWNER: PHONE NUMBER: INTERVAL: 60
CRITERIA: previous goes id was
PAYOR/COST OF LINE: / \$ INTERVAL:

17245742

GAGE TYPE	OWNER	MAINTENANCE	BEGAN	ENDED	GAGE LOCATION/REMARKS
wireweight	USGS	USGS	05/19/1952	10/16/1985	USGS WIRE WEIGHT INSTALLED ON UPSTREAM SIDE OF BRIDGE. RELOCATED 11/21/52, ON DOWNSTREAM SIDE OF BRIDGE. REMOVED FOR BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION IN 1985.
Unk	USGS	USGS	11/11/1952	06/28/1999	DIGITAL RECORDER WAS REMOVED 5/25/1994 AND THE GRAPHIC RECORDER WAS REMOVED 6/28/1999.
bubble	USGS	USGS	06/17/1960	06/28/1999	RECORDERS AND MANOMETER IN A STEEL-COVERED SHELTER MOUNTED ON DOWNSTREAM END OF PIER.
wireweight	USGS	USGS	08/01/1986		BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION WAS COMPLETED IN LATE SUMMER OF 1986.
bubble	USGS	USGS	05/25/1994		SUTRON 8210 DCP WITH SHAFT ENCODER INSTALLED AND THE DIGITAL RECORDER WAS REMOVED.
tipping	USGS	USGS	05/02/2001	12/31/2050	TIPPING BUCKET RAIN GAUGE INSTALLED.
crest	USGS	USGS	04/27/2005	12/31/2050	TWO CSI PIPES INSTALLED FOR VERIFICATION OF PEAKS.

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# HISTORY

PUBLICATION/LOCATION OF	RECORDS	STARTING DATE	ENDING DATE
TYPE OF GAGE	OWNER	STARTING DATE	ENDING DATE
wireweight Unk bubble wireweight bubble tipping crest	USGS USGS USGS USGS USGS USGS USGS	05/19/1952 11/11/1952 06/17/1960 08/01/1986 05/25/1994 05/02/2001 04/27/2005	10/16/1985 06/28/1999 06/28/1999 12/31/2050 12/31/2050
ZERO ELEVATION 1756.170 1756.040 1754.040		STARTING DATE 	

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FLOOD STAGE: 11.00 FLOOD FLOW: 2790 ACTION STAGE: 10.00 ACTION FLOW: 1930 BANKFULL STAGE: 10.00

DATE OF CREST	TIME LST	CREST (ft)	FLOW (CFS)	FROM HIGH WATERMARKS	ICE JAM	REMARKS
07/20/1052	10.00	16 25	11600		 	
07/20/1953 05/28/1954		16.35 11.80	11600 4240			
09/26/1955		11.63	4100			
07/07/1956		6.35	780			
05/29/1957		13.34	5450			
06/16/1957		18.55	23300			
07/04/1958		6.58	992			
07/14/1959		12.21	3330			
03/23/1960		11.52	4530			
05/16/1960		13.08	4330			
06/06/1961		10.47	4580			
07/02/1962		10.72	4260			
08/12/1963		9.48	3570			
07/12/1964		4.53	846			
06/12/1965	06:00	11.73	3230			
09/06/1965	17:00	12.31	3960			
10/19/1965	UNDEF	12.40	4000			
07/28/1967	UNDEF	12.20	3900			
05/06/1968	UNDEF	13.20	5760			
06/14/1968	UNDEF	12.26	4590			
08/15/1968		17.01	14200			
05/21/1969		10.20	2640			
05/25/1970		5.59	437			
09/01/1971		6.87	878			
09/07/1972		8.30	1400			
09/29/1973		4.31	136			
05/25/1974		5.10	280			
08/14/1975		11.58	4100			
07/02/1976		6.48	623			
09/03/1977		9.92	2500			
08/15/1978		8.56	1590 3090			
08/26/1979 04/05/1980		10.59 3.84	56			
07/27/1981		7.73	1100			
07/02/1982		8.35	1460			
05/20/1983		5.70	370			
06/15/1984		5.77	481			
08/14/1985		13.68	2880			
07/14/1986		8.24	1370			
04/14/1987		5.37	323			
02/13/1988		4.47				ICE JAM
07/21/1988		4.04	59			
06/26/1989		8.21	1600			
05/15/1990	UNDEF	7.71	1260			
05/25/1991	UNDEF	4.50	83			

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DATE OF CREST	TIME LST	CREST (ft)	FLOW (CFS)	FROM HIGH WATERMARKS	BASED ON OLD DATUM		REMARKS
06/05/1992	UNDEF	11.60	2340				
08/15/1993	UNDEF	11.88	2520				
05/07/1994	UNDEF	7.10	491				
05/27/1995	UNDEF	14.83	8340				
08/02/1996	UNDEF	10.49	2380				
06/26/1997	22:45	9.66	1730				
03/27/1998	18:45	5.14	251				
08/03/1999	14:45	7.16	752				
07/23/2000	UNDEF	4.33	121				
05/06/2001	UNDEF	5.41	276				
03/26/2002	UNDEF	3.66	28				
03/18/2003	UNDEF	3.40	21				
04/07/2005	UNDEF	6.07	384				
08/19/2006	UNDEF	4.84	153				
02/20/2007	UNDEF	7.32	406			Χ	Backwater from ice. The flow is estimated.
05/23/2008	08:00	13.20	5472				
08/24/2008	14:15	11.74					

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# LOW WATER RECORDS

DATE OF LOW WATER	STAGE (ft)	FLOW (CFS)	REMARKS
LOW WATER		(013)	TELIMITICS
06/01/1952 08/09/2000 10/01/2005 10/01/2006	2.00 2.70	0 0 0	ZERO FLOW AT ABOUT 2.0 FT, BUT VARIABLE.

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## CONDITIONS AFFECTING FLOW

MILES ABOVE MOUTH: 82.9 DRAINAGE AREA: 849.0 POOL STAGE: 0.0

STREAM BED: COMPOSED MAINLY OF SHIFTING SAND AND GRAVEL.

REACH: BIG TIMBER CREEK (MILE 117.0) DOWNSTREAM TO BOW CREEK (MILE  $68.4)\,.$ 

**REGULATION:** 

DIVERSION: SOME IRRIGATION DEVELOPMENT ABOVE STATION.

WINTER: MODERATE TO SEVERE ICE CONDITIONS CAN BE EXPECTED WITH THE

STREAM OCCASIONALLY GOING DRY UNDER SOLID ICE.

TOPOGRAPHY: CHANNEL IS FAIRLY STRAIGHT FOR ABOUT 600 FT. ABOVE AND 1000

FT. BELOW THE GAGE, BUT MAKES AN ANGLE OF ABOUT 45

REMARKS: ROLLING PLAINS WITH LOWER ELEVATION RANGELAND TO THE SOUTH OF CHANNEL AND HIGHER ELEVATION TO THE NORTH OF THE CHANNEL.

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# DAMAGE

STAGE	AREAS AFFECTED
11.00	FLOOD STAGE AND BANKFULL STAGE (OVERFLOW OF SOUTH BANK BEGINS).
16.00	MODERATE FLOODING BEGINS (WIDESPREAD FLOODING BEGINS IN THE VICINITY OF THE SITE).
18.55	HIGHEST STAGE EVER RECORDED ON JUNE 16, 1957.
18.70	50 YEAR FLOOD FREQUENCY.
26.60	US HIGHWAY 183 BEGINS FLOODING AT BRIDGE AND RIVER GAGE.
27.00	MAJOR FLOODING BEGINS.

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# RIVER STAGE DATA

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27.00 - MAJOR FLOODING BEGINS.		
26.60 - US HIGHWAY 183 BEGINS FLOODING AT BRIDGE AND RIVER GAGE.		
20.00 - 03 HIGHMAT 103 DEGINS TEODDING AT BRIDGE AND RIVER GAGE.	25-	
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18.70 - 50 YEAR FLOOD FREQUENCY.		18.55 06/16/1957
18.55 - HIGHEST STAGE EVER RECORDED ON JUNE 16, 1957.		17.01 08/15/1968
16.00 - MODERATE FLOODING BEGINS (WIDESPREAD FLOODING BEGINS IN THE VICINITY OF THE SITE).		16.35 07/20/1953
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	jj	14.83 05/27/1995
	ii	13.68 08/14/1985
	ii	12.40 10/19/1965
11.00 - FLOOD STAGE AND BANKFULL STAGE (OVERFLOW OF SOUTH BANK BEGINS).	ii	11.88 08/15/1993
	i 10-i	10.72 07/02/1962
		9.92 09/03/1977
		8.56 08/15/1978
		7.73 07/27/1981
		6.87 09/01/1971
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REACH: BIG TIMBER CREEK (MILE 117.0) DOWNSTREAM TO BOW CREEK (MILE 68.4). ELEVATION ZERO: 1754.04

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